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FINGERS

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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing, please find the following documents:

- x Response to Election of Species Requirement (3 pages)
- x A return receipt postcard

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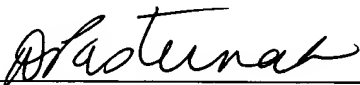
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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

This paper is in response to the second Election of Species Requirement mailed May 18, 2004 with a shortened statutory period of one month for response. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.